Edgefield Advertiser

WEDNESDAY, SEPT. 11, 1895.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

DEATH OF DR. CLINT TOMPKINS.

The death of this honored citizen occured at his residence, Meeting Street, on Friday last. Deceased was during all the years of his sojourn here a most worthy example of what a citizen should be; and in all the other relations of life he was equally an examplar. Edgefield County will sorely miss his counsel and aid in the years to come as she has profited by both in the years that are gone. The following "tribute" has been handed us for publication, so apt and true that we would make it our own:

A Tribute.

Without friendship life has no charms.

There are men of a character so open and generous that tnere is no one but who would be gainer by making them their friend. Such an one was:

DR. DEWITT CLINTON TOMPKINS
OF
MEETING ST., EDGEFIELD CO., S. C.

"His day has come not gone,
His sun risen not set,
His life is now beyond
The reach of death or change
Not ended but begun."

All that was mortal of him now rests on the Hill of Stevens Church yard in sight of his old home (Meeting Street) among the dust of his kindred who have preceded him to "the silent land." I claim the privilege of attempting this as a tribute to my departed friend, yes, one of the best I ever had on earth. I had ample opportunities of knowing him well and if I only could describe, as he really was, without a particle of exageration his memory would never perish. The memories of him will live on and remain bright in the hearts of those who knew and loved him. He has left to his family and friends a heritage better than riches, "a good name. May we profit by his example, and at last rejcin him in the bright beyond.

A FRIEND.

The advertisement of Alvin Hart & Co., will appear next week.

Miss Mary Ada Hart attended the Association at Rehoboth Church.

Miss Ada Ballard, is visiting her friend, Miss Mary Lou Lanham.

Our dry goods merchants are getting in their stock of goods.

Mr. Will Toney has accepted a position in the express service in Savannah.

[illegible] on Addison Avenue

The heat [illegible] tember, some of the warmest [illegible] the season being in this month.

Rev. J. B. Wilson, editor of the Christian Advocate, is expected to preach at our Methodist church next Sunday morning.

☞ For the best Fire Insurance on town or country property, call on or write D. R. DURISOE, Agt.

Miss Carrie Sheppard paid a flying visit to Edgefield last week, accompanied by her friend, Miss Lucia Penn, of Callison's.

Dr. A. J. S. Thomas, of Greenville, editor of the Baptist Courier, preached a very interesting sermon in our Baptist church last Sunday morning.

Comptroller-General Norton was in town on Saturday, for the purpose of making the annual settlement with Treasurer W. L. Stevens.

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Harry S Leard, son of Rev. S. D. Leard, a former pastor of our Methodist church, has been made general soliciting freight and passenger agent of the Seaboard Air Line, with headquarters at Raleigh, N. C.

Fodder goes begging. One farmer gave three-fourths of his fodder to get the other fourth for himself, and yet next spring fodder will be worth 75 cents, perhaps $1, per hundred, because the hay crop non est.

Our correspondent "Edgefield Reformer" while he objects to new counties en masse seems to favor Saluda county. From this it might be inferred that he is a Saluda man, but this is not so. He comes from an altogether different locality.

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Mrs. Sula Hunter, nee Abney, and Miss Mattie Glover, of Birmingham, Ala., are visiting Mrs. D. R. Durisoe. Miss Glover, we hear, was this season's belle at Glenn Springs, where Mrs. Hunter was equally popular as a chaperone in all the gaities of that fashionable watering place.

Mr. Brabham has concluded his meetings in the Methodist church, and Mr. Beard has returned to his charge at Graniteville. These meetings were productive of great good, especially to members of the Methodist and other churches of our town. Mr. Beard was an earnest, forceful, and impressive speaker, and an untiring worker in the vineyard.

The chronic grumbler still lives, but there are less cases of chronic Indigestion and Dyspepsia than formerly. The fact is so many people in the past have taken Simmons Liver Regulator that they are now cured of these ills. And a great multitude are now taking Simmons Liver Regulator for the same troubles and they'll soon be cured. "It is the best medicine.—Mrs. E. Raine, Baltimore, Md.

Mr. Jim Wood, our local shoe-maker, has been confined to his bed for eight weeks, but is now up again ready for work, and may be found at his old stand. He says that during his illness the report was industriously circulated by some designing persons all over Edgefield county that he had removed from Edgefield to Ridge Spring. He bids us contradict this report and say for him of old Edgefield as Cowper would have said, had he been in his shoes: "Edgefield, with all thy faults I love the still—and the stiller the better."

[CONTRIBUTED LOCAL.]

"An entertainment will be given on Friday evening next by Mrs. Shaffer, that indefatigable worker in every notable cause. Mademoiselle Borelli adds piquancy to this entertainment by a sparkling French play. This miniature drama alone should insure success, played as it is by native French woman and an artiste, with her troupe of trained and dainty little boys and girls, with wicked but lovable Dolly Dugas as the leading card. Between the acts there will be a rendition of music from Wagner and Lizt by Misses Fleming and Adams. After many disappointments Mrs. Pickens, President of the Confederate Memorial Association, almost within her grasp funds sufficient to complete the Monument to Edgefield's confederate dead, for which this entertainment is to be given. Love and admiration for our noble dead and their comrades who survive, should cause all true patriots to give a helping hand to this evening's performances. This Monument will be built with Mrs. Pickens as guiding star. Like Bruce of old, with heart and brain and courage, but most of all with heart, she has continued the struggle to raise funds for the noble work and with the hearty co-operation of those who love and admire heroism in Edgefield—the fact is fait accompli." * * *

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REV. JOHN A. RICE, A. M., D. D.,
Columbia, S. C.

Personal Mention.

Col. Folk and family have returned from Gainsville, Ga.

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Miss Mabel Keese, one of Aiken's most charming young ladies, is on a visit to her friend Miss Lina Mims.

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Mr. B. N. Fair and A. G. Hammond came over from Beech Island on Monday on a business trip.

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The Womans Missionary Society of the Methodist Church will have an entertainment at Fairmount Inn next Monday, Sept. 16th, at 8 o'clock p. m. Admission 5cts. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

The members of the Methodist Missionary Society are requested to meet at the church next Thursday afternoon at 5 o'clock, as important business will be transacted.

MRS. J. R. PARKER,
Pres. pro tem.

RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

Mrs. J. C. Sheppard,
" A. V. Evans,
" J. R. Parker,
" L. S. Sossamen,
" J. M. Cobb,
Miss Robbie Hill,
" Fannie Brabham,
" Maggie Fraser,
" June Nicholson.

REFRESHMENTS.

Miss Cornelia Jones,
Mrs. Joe Jones,
Miss Lou Gary,
Mrs. Ed. Mims,
Miss Eliza McCullough,
Miss Mellie Russell.

WAITRESSES.

Miss Helen Sheppard,
" Tillie Davis,
" Bessie Ouzts,
" Rhet Sheppard,
" Lilla Klugh,
" Elise Fraser.

SOMETHING NEW.

The new school known as the Orangeburg Collegiate Institute, located at Orangeburg, S. C., will open Sept. 26th. The trustees have secured seven graduate teachers and can now accommodate two or three hundred pupils. There will be Literary, Business, Music, Art, Normal and Military Departments. The Institute will be co-educational, welcoming both boys and girls. Two large dormitories will afford ample room for all boarders, one being for boys, the other for girls. The plan for boarding is the co-operative one, board being put at cost, which will be about $5 a month. Our motto is "The best possible school at the least possible cost." Our course is comprehensive, thorough, and cheap. This is a Baptist school but all are welcome. We purpose making the school so cheap that the great farming and industrial classes can educate their children here. The girls' boarding department is limited to 75, and is being rapidly filled up—first applican's get these special privileges. For further information address either

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Some Very Good Suggestions Upon the Vital Matter of Education, by a Georgia Teacher.

MR. EDITOR: All enlightened nations have their public school system deeming it wise to provide for the children an opportunity for at least an elementary education. How to do this and give justice to the whites who pay most of the taxes as well as to the negro who needs charitable consideration is a question confronting the Southern States. A conviction is growing with the whites that the taxes paid by them for school purposes should be appropriated only to white schools, and the taxes paid by the negro should go to only negro schools. This then is certainly a fundamental question for the consideration of your convention. A government undertaking to raise every man's children from birth till of age would rightly be denominated a parental government. To try to school them all their school age is about the same thing; a very slow parent at that to send the children from six to eighteen, twelve years merely to learn the elementary studies.

Most old countries limit the age to fourteen and no doubt for the purpose of ceasing parental charge at a time when merit of the child or sacrifice on the part of the parent should sustain further education, as well as to give the children their elementary education that early. Even if the taxes of the two races for school purposes can be separated and appropriated each to its respective race it would be wise to limit the age to fourteen instead of eighteen or even sixteen in teaching merely the elementary branches. Many especially of the negro race are grown in size at the age of fifteen or eighteen. There being no public register of the ages a large number of negroes go to school from three to five years after eighteen. But let the limit be fourteen and the appearance of children will show when they are over age. That age will no doubt give the children the same learning as now at eighteen, for the parent will then do his best to keep his children [illegible]tantly in school whereas now and continuously in school for eight years can be taught even better than one going irregularly through twelve school terms, besides giving the former the advantage of four years in which to add to his learning by his own exertions or otherwise. The fourteen years old boy or girl will certainly be prouder and more ambitious than the one at eighteen with the same learning.

Overgrown negroes going to school, and slow progress of children in consequence of irregular attendance rather condemns the public school system. It is the practice if not necessity among the white laborers and farmers to keep the children over twelve at home to aid them in their farms during crop season, while the negro living on half rations continues his children at school even after eighteen.

Again I repeat let the school age be between six and fourteen in order to put overgrown negroes to work out their own education, to foster a spirit of sacrifice by the parent to keep the children in school and have them learn the elementary studies early, to foster a spirit of self-reliance and individuality with all families and youths of the State, and to do justice to the convictions and interests of taxpayers by limiting charitable appropriations to reasonable aid. Do this and the State will have for her public school system a higher appreciation of its merits and greater co-operative efforts to make it operate well.

I am aware that wise laws are based upon a comprehension of what the people will do under surrounding circumstances and not upon what they ought to do, but nevertheless I give my reasons for the faith I entertain that the State will accomplish more with the school age between six and fourteen than can now be done with the age botween six and eighteen,

L. P. ELAM.

Leverett, Ga., Sept. 3, 1895.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.

The union meeting of the 3rd division of the Edgefield Association will meet at Horns Creek church on Saturday 28th of September at 10 o'clock a. m.

PROGRAMME.

Introductory sermon by Rev. L. R. Gwaltney.

Missionary sermon by Rev. John Lake.

Subject for discussion—1st. The relative duties of a church to its members and the members to each other.

2nd, How much is it the duty of a Christian to be a peace-maker in his community.

Resolved, That all delegates to this meeting will be expected to talk on the subjects brought up for discussion.

L. R. GWALTNEY, Mod'r.
S. B. Mays, Sec'ry.

NOTICE OE APPLICATION FOR CHARTER OF TROY COUNTY.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made at the next sitting of the Legislature for establishing a new county to be known as Troy County, with the county seat located in the town of Troy, out of parts of Abbeville and Edgefield counties, as follows: Corner at or near White Hall in Abbeville county, line to run via Cedar Springs, Wilson X Roads, Hopewell church, De Lahowe estate to Savannah river, thence down Savannah river to near Plum Branch in Edgefield county, from Plum Branch to Liberty Hill, from Liberty Hill to Kirkseys in Edgefield county and back to White Hall in Abbeville county.

G. C. BRADLEY, Sec'ry.
Sept. 3—'95.

McCORMICK COUNTY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made at the next sitting of the Legislature for establishing a new county to be known as McCormick County, with county seat located in the town of McCormick, out of portions of Abbeville and Edgefield Counties as follows:

Corners at a point opposite old Petersburg on Savannah river, thence to or near Bradley's Mill, thence to or near where Puckett Branch crosses public road north of Troy, thence to or near Winterseat bridge on Hard Labor creek, thence to or near Liberty Hill, thence to or near a point three miles south of where public road (Liberty Hill to Edgefield) crosses Turkey creek, thence to or near Stevens creek, thence to or near the mouth of Horns creek, thence to where the P. R. & W. C. R. R. crosses Savannah river, thence up Savannah river to starting point.

R. J. ROBINSON,
[illegible], Edgefield, Newberry, and Laurens Counties as follows:

Corners at or near Boyd's Mill on Saluda river; at or near Whitehall, Abbeville County; at or near Kirkseys; at or near Good Hope, Edgefield County; at or near Vaughville, Newberry County; thence back to or near Boyds Mill, Laurens County.

H. J. [illegible]INARD, Sec'y.
[illegible] for Committee.
Aug. 20—'95.

BEN THOMPSON COUNTY.

To All Whom It May Concern:

NOTICE is herewith given that, an application will be made at the next sitting of the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina for the establishment of a new county to be cut off from Edgefield County, to be known as Ben Thompson County, with the county seat at the town of Thompsonville—and having the following metes and bounds:

Beginning at a pine-sapling in the road between Abe Broadwater's and Bud DeLoach's the line will run northeast to Harmony church, thence to Frank Warren's, thence to the Poor House, leaving this institution in Edgefield County, thence to Capt. H. B. Gallman's, thence to Simmon's Ridge Good Samaritan Baptist church, thence to Beaver Dam, thence down this creek to the ford near John Walkers, thence back to the Poor House, crossing the old Cambridge road one hundred chains north of the old well in the road, near the old Andrew Ramsay place.

SAM TAYLOR,
Chairman for Committee.
Aug. 26—2t.

SALUDA COUNTY.

To All Whom It May Concern:

WE the undersigned citizens of Edgefield hereby give notice as required by law, that an effort will be made before the next session of the Legislature to obtain Saluda County with the following metes and bounds viz:

Commencing at double bridge over Mountain Creek and the Long Cane road, following the northern line of Pinegrove towusnip to the bridge over Half Way Swamp creek on the old Cambridge and Charleston road, thence down said stream to where it empties into Saluda river, thence down Saluda river to corner of Edgefield and Lexington counties, thence along the Edgefield and Lexington line to corner of Edgefield and Aiken, thence along the Edgefield and Aiken line to the point where the public road crosses Aiken and Edgefield line near Lybrands old mill, thence a straight line to where the Long Cane road intersects the public road from Johnston to Wards at Jack Lotts, thence up said Long Cane road to the point of commencement above mentioned.

Signed,
S T Edwards, P B Stevens, B L Caughman, J B Suddath, Zed Crouch, Noah Crouch, Jos H Edwards, A P Coleman, Jas P Bean, J M Forrest J J Kirksey, Rev C P Boozer, W L Coleman, Geo B Lester, Joe M Long, W L Crouch, B W Crouch, W F Huiet.
Aug. 13—tf.

Now is the time to take the Advertiser.

Greenwood County.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

NOTICE is hereby given that an application will be made to the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina, at its next sitting, for the passage of an act establishing from portions of Edgefield and Abbeville counties a new county to be known as Greenwood county with the county seat at the town of Greenwood. The following shall be the Metes and bounds of the said new county of Greenwood:

This to be a legal notice in case the area for the formation of new counties be reduced by the Constitutional Convention.

Should the area not be reduced, we will ask that our bill of last session be considered. The said new county of Greenwood, under reduced area, to be bounded as follows: Commencing in the middle of Saluda river at the Cokesbury and Donnold township line run said line to the C. & G. Railroad, thence a straight line to the Douglas Mill Bridge on Long Cane creek, thence a straight line to the seven mile post on the Greenwood and Abbeville Road, thence a straight line to the mouth of Gray's Branch on Curltail creek, thence down Curltail creek to its mouth on Long Cane creek, thence down Long Cane creek to Jordan's old mill, thence a straight line to where Puckett Branch crosses the Barksdale's Ferry Road; thence a straight line to Winter Seat bridge on Hard Labor creek; thence down the public road to Shinburg bridge on Cuffatown creek; thence a straight line to where the Newcut road crosses Gray and Pine Grove township line; thence up Pine Grove township line to Halfway Swamp creek on the Charleston road; thence down Halfway Swamp creek to the centre of Saluda river and up the middle of Saluda river to the beginning.

W. L. DURST,
Aug. 21—1m Chair. of Com.

TO SCHOOL TEACHERS.

SCHOOL Trustees will make their reports at as early a date as possible. Add the average attendance of each school, divide the result by the number of reports of said school, the figures obtained will be the total average for that school. After suming up the total of each school add them together, the result will be the number of children attending the free schools in your School District or Township for the past scholastic year. Report white and colored separately. State amount disbursed during the term.

P. N. LOTT, S. C. E. C.
Sept. 10—'95.

NOTICE.

TO THE PUBLIC.

I now have a few convicts with which to work the roads of Edgefield county, under sentence of the court, but they are so few that it will take a long time to get around; however, I'll make this suggestion: There are a great many ditch bridges in the county that cost a good deal or money in the aggregate. Now, if farmers will haul out of their plantations, rocks and stones that may be in [illegible] would say about one piece of road a mile and a half long there are seventeen ditch bridges. This may be, and probably is, the worst piece of road in the county for ditch bridges, but is by no means the only piece, they probably run up into the hundreds.

M. A. WHITTLE,
Sept. 3, '95. Sup.

Furman University,

GREENVILLE, S. C.

THE NEXT SESSION will open September 25th, 1895. Write for circulars, catalogues, or for information about Courses of Instruction, Mess Hall, Boarding, &c.

Inquire about examination to be held by School Commissioner, August 23, for scholarship worth $50.

C. MANLY, D. D.,
President.
Aug. 13—2m.

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JAMES WOODROW.
July 30—2m.

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For circular announcements, &c, apply to the principal or to J. B. Edwards, Secretary Board of Trustees.

Aug. 6—6t.

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J. W. BROOKS, Chair.
Modoc, S. C.,
August 6—1895.

Edgefield Institute.

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L. R. GWALTNEY,
Aug. 6—1m Principal.

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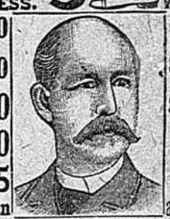

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